

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 2005-356-E - ORDER NO. 2008-618  
SEPTEMBER 9, 2008

IN RE: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC – Annual Plan from 2005-Present	) ORDER GRANTING ) EXTENSION TO FILE ) INTEGRATED ) RESOURCE PLAN
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This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the Motion of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (Duke Energy or the Company) for an extension of time through and including November 3, 2008, to file the Company's Integrated Resource Plan for the year 2008 (2008 IRP or Annual Plan). By Commission Order No. 98-151 issued in the Docket No. 1987-223-E, Duke Energy is required to file the Company's Annual Plan by September 1st of each year.

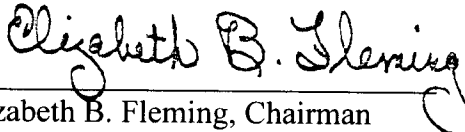
As part of the Company's resource planning process for the 2008 Annual Plan, Duke Energy advises that the Company is conducting analyses to identify the optimum resource mix to meet its customers' needs for a highly reliable energy supply at the lowest reasonable cost under a wide range of operating environments. Duke Energy asserts that the requested extension of time will enable the Company to have additional time to further refine the Company's resource planning analysis to address the very complex issues that impact the analysis.

We have examined the Motion of Duke Energy and deem good cause shown by Duke Energy to warrant an extension; therefore, we find that the Motion should be granted.

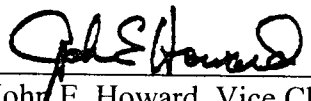
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Motion of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for an extension to file the Company's 2008 Integrated Resource Plan is hereby granted.
2. That the Integrated Resource Plan of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for the year 2008 shall be filed on or before the close of business on November 24, 2008.
3. That this Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of this Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

  
Elizabeth B. Fleming, Chairman

ATTEST:

  
John E. Howard, Vice Chairman  
(SEAL)